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429 LACKAWANNA AVENUE.

#### GLENBURN.

Mrs. J. Trebleox and son George, of Plymouth, are visiting her brother, J. W. Moore.

Glenburn school No. 1 will close Thursday, April 18. Miss Blanche Griffin will spend Easter at home. John Northup has been sick with the grip.

R. C. Joiner, Allen, P. O., Hillsdale Co., Mich., says: "Nothing gave my rheumatism such quick relief as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil."

### HE WAS A DAISY DETECTIVE

Richmond Makes Peculiar Admissions in the Wall Case.

#### AGREED TO VISIT HIS AUNTIE

Evidence of the Commonwealth All in at Tunkhannock--Fred Wall on the Witness Stand--His Account of the Evening.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Tunkhannock, April 12.--W. H. Richmond still on the stand. The greatest piece of the conversation with Fred Wall (in which the confession of murder was made) was held while we were going down to LaGrange. It began between the Montrose railroad crossing and the covered bridge. I told him the story of the robbing and killing of the shoemaker at Providence, R. I., after I had asked him to prove himself if I was to take him in as partner.

Attorney for defendant: "When you arrested Fred Wall you made information charging him with the murder of Waterman, didn't you?"

"Yes sir."

"When you arrested Bert Pratt you also charged him with committing the murder?"

"I said he was implicated in it."

"You also arrested Irvin Westcott, a nephew of the deceased, and made information that he committed the murder, didn't you?"

"I said he was implicated."

A squabble here ensued between the counsel as to the admission of evidence from a witness who had charged more than one person with the same crime. The judge ruled that there was nothing inconsistent in the information made in this case.

Witness: "I had a written statement of the confession made by Wall when I visited Hinkley's at Nicholson. Think I left that on the table there along with some other papers, which I forgot. I wasn't drunk. I did take a hired girl from here in town with me the once when I went. I am a married man. She wasn't a detective. (These in answer to cross-examination.) I brought Bert Pratt here about 12 o'clock at night. I or the turnkey took him down town the next day. I did not offer him a part of the reward if he would put it onto Fred Wall. I told him that if he had anything to do with the murder and would turn state's evidence I thought it easier with him! I saw Mrs. Bidleman at Dr. Deulson's. I didn't say anything about dropping the proceedings if she would pay me a certain amount of money and go to California. I told her I didn't have any hard feelings toward them, but I thought they looked down on me. There might have been something said about money. I wanted to see what they would say. Thought they all looked down on me. I did see Dr. Bidleman at the Stevens house. Heard he wanted to see me, and I went there and called him out, because I wanted to know what he wanted of me. He wanted to settle. Did say I would meet him next day, because there was something said about making marks to see what I could make to stop proceedings. Did not make proposition that if he would pay me a certain sum I would go to California to see an aunt. There was a certain party came to me and wanted to know what I would take to go away. Said Dr. Bidleman wanted to know. Said he would mark and I could mark. I made some figures in a joke and handed them to him. The man was Mr. Deubler, engineer on the Montrose road. The man who sent him was Dr. Avery. He didn't want to come himself. Don't know if Dr. Bidleman wanted them to come. I said something about it being a state's prison job, but suggested how it might be done if they wanted it done. Think I told Mr. Deubler that I could get \$1,200 for convicting Wall--\$500 from the county, \$500 from the family, and \$200 from a sister of Waterman; might have said so, don't remember. Didn't say anything about leaving the country if they would pay me money."

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Dr. B. E. Bidleman--Fred Wall is my brother-in-law. Was called out on the night of January 8, 1894, to go over to Gearhart's coal chutes, where I found the body of Wash Waterman. (Describes position of body.) Saw wound on temple, felt of pulse and found it still, then opened eye and felt of the covering of the pupil to see if there was any sensitiveness; found none; then put my hand down inside his vest to see if the heart was beating; it was not, and after feeling to see if there was any warmth in the body, told Mr. Pratt and William Waterman, who were standing by, that he was dead. (The description of the autopsy agreed with that of former witnesses.) In my opinion the wound on the temple could have been produced by a fall from the trestling. I was called before the coroner's jury the next day after the finding of the body. I didn't know then that they suspected Fred. I heard of it shortly after. Saw Fred every day, right along. He wore the same clothes that he had worn. My wife told him that he was dirty and had better clean himself up a little and put on some clean clothes. I said, "Fred, they suspect you, and wouldn't look well for you to go and change your clothes now." He took my advice for once and wore the same clothes right along. Re-

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# Makes Pure Blood

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The Easter exercises at No. 4 school yesterday afternoon were in every way satisfactory and reflected credit upon the teachers. Following is the programme: Song, "Hear the First Clear Song," school; recitation, "Bijah's Story," Bessie Winters; recitation, "Little Ann," Florence Shippard; recitation, "The Tempest," Rena Correll; select reading, James Mulloy; recitation, "Two Magpies," George L. Koch; song, "Bird's Ball," school; recitation, "Dolly's Lesson," Helen Farrar; recitation, "The First Boy," Ray Smith; recitation, "Arithmetic," Harry Lacy; song, Pearl Marsh; recitation, "The William Goat," Thomas McIntyre; concert recitation, "Bird Trades," Mary May, Grace Greeves, Jennie Galbana; recitation, "The Unfinished Prayer," Lotta Hart; recitation, "Ship on Fire," Pearl Marsh; song, "This be Our Motto," school; recitation, "Dolly's Lesson," Jennie Jeffrey; dialogue, "The Boy Who Couldn't Say No," Arthur Hayden, Ray Smith, D. Purcell; solo, Mabel Doud; recitation, "A Prayer," Mary May; song, "Hear the First Clear Song," school. Rev. J. C. Leacock, who has been pas-